## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

IN RE: Request from Switzerland Pursuant to the Treaty Between the United States of America and the Swiss Confederation on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters in the Matter of Dieter Behring.

Honorable Misc. Case No. 06-X-

## **ORDER**

Upon application of the United States, and upon review of the request from the Swiss Confederation seeking evidence under the Treaty on Mutual Assistance with the Swiss Confederation, and the Court having fully considered this matter,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to the authority conferred by the <u>Treaty between</u> the United States of America and the Swiss Confederation on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters, 27 U.S.T. 2019, as well as 28 U.S.C. §1782 and this Court's inherent authority, that JULIE A. BECK is appointed as a Commissioner of this Court and is hereby directed to execute the Treaty request as follows:

- 1. take such steps as are necessary, including issuance of commissioner's subpoenas, to collect the evidence requested;
- 2. provide notice with respect to the collection of evidence to those persons identified in the request as parties to whom notice should be given (and no notice to any other party shall be required);
- 3. adopt procedures to collect the evidence requested, consistent with its use in the investigation or proceeding for which Switzerland has requested assistance, which procedures may be specified in the request or provided by or with the approval of the Swiss Central

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Authority under the Treaty;

4. seek such further orders of this Court as may be necessary to execute this request;

and

5. certify and submit the evidence collected to the Office of International Affairs,

Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice, or as otherwise directed by that office

for transmission to Switzerland.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, in collecting the evidence requested, the

Commissioner may be accompanied by persons whose presence or participation is authorized by

the Commissioner, including, without limitation, special agents of the Department of Justice

and/or representatives of Switzerland.

s/ DENISE PAGE HOOD

Honorable Denise Page Hood

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: June 30, 2006